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For: DAMPER FOR AUTOMOBILE SEAT AND AUTOMOBILE SEAT MECHANISM

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AMENDMENT

In reply to the Official Action dated August 8, 2008 (for which petition is hereby made for a three month extension of time), please amend the above-identified application as follows: